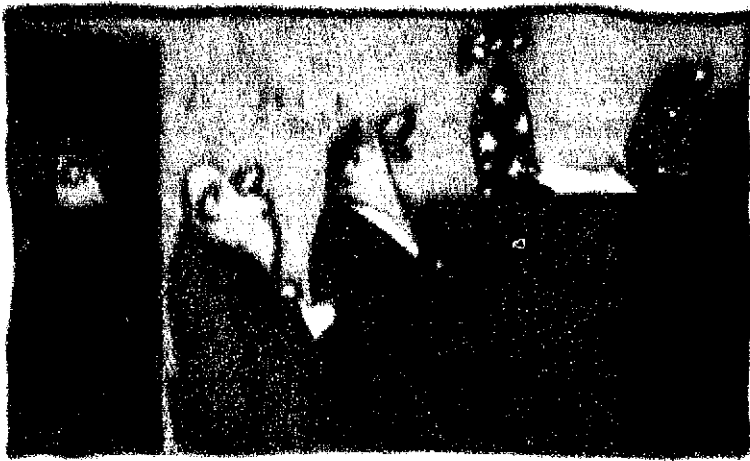


GIN and LIAR IT



"It takes a retirement village to raise a grandchild."



"My friend is a man of his word, your honor."



"It's almost full! ... Start the countdown!"



"Table cold?"

SHOE

By Jeff MacNelly



"I WAS HERE LAST NIGHT INTO THE WEE HOURS."

"NO KIDDING."



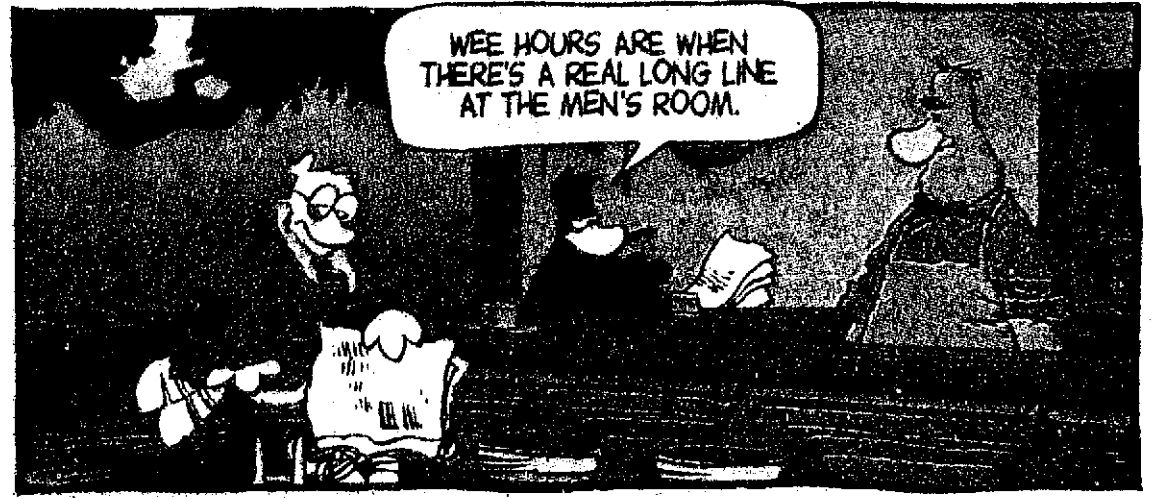
"HEY, WHAT ARE THE WEE HOURS, ANYWAY?"



"IT MEANS ONE OR TWO IN THE MORNING, DOESN'T IT?"



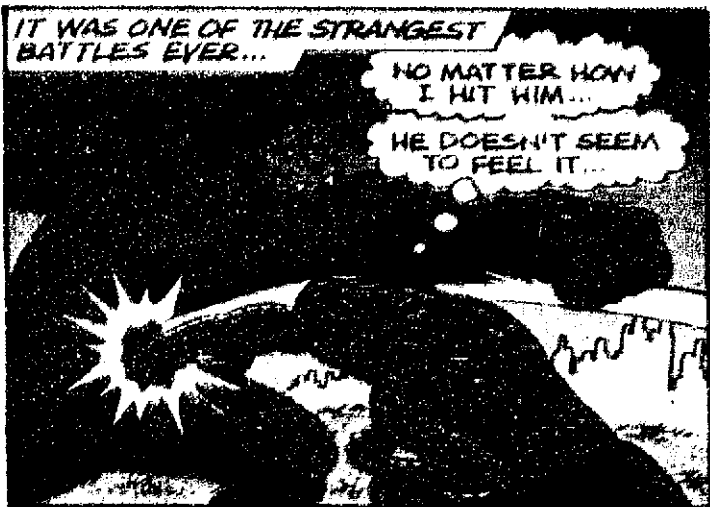
"NAH."



"WEE HOURS ARE WHEN THERE'S A REAL LONG LINE AT THE MEN'S ROOM."

SPIDER-MAN

By Stan Lee and Flor Dery



"IT WAS ONE OF THE STRANGEST BATTLES EVER..."

"NO MATTER HOW I HIT HIM... HE DOESN'T SEEM TO FEEL IT..."



"...THE AMAZING SPIDER-MAN VS AN INCREDIBLE TALKING GORILLA..."

"NOW PREPARE FOR YOUR FINAL DEFEAT!"



"THE GORILLA'S TOO POWERFUL! IF HE LANDS A BLOW, IT'LL BE ALL OVER!"

"GOOD, 'CAUSE I'M RUNNING OUT OF TAPE!"



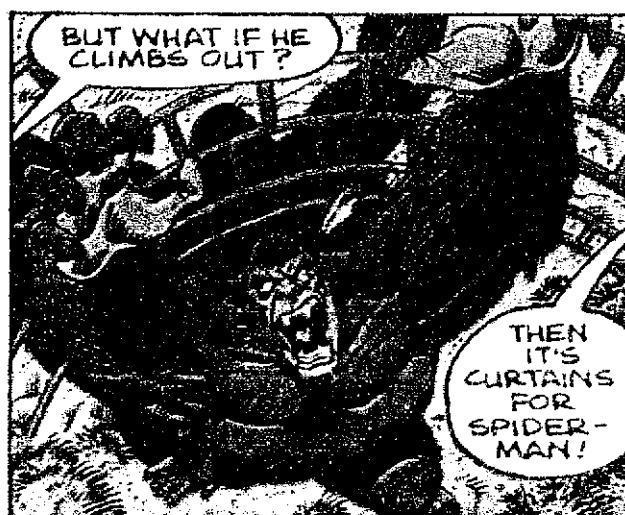
"THEN, JUST AS THE FINAL BLOW WAS ABOUT TO BE STRUCK..."

"I'M FALLING!"



"WHERE'D THAT HOLE IN THE GROUND COME FROM?"

"SO THAT'S WHY SPIDEY HIRED A CONSTRUCTION CREW!"



"BUT WHAT IF HE CLIMBS OUT?"

"THEN IT'S CURTAINS FOR SPIDER-MAN!"

"NEXT: THE MONSTER AND THE MADNESS!"

